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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Defense Acquisition Regulations System

[Docket Number DARS-2013-0036]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

ACTION: Notice.

The Defense Acquisition Regulations System has submitted to OMB for clearance, the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. chapter 35).

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by [Insert 30 days after date of publication in the Federal Register].

<u>Title, Associated Form, and OMB Number</u>: Defense Federal

Acquisition Regulation Supplement (DFARS) Part 225, Foreign

Acquisition, and related clauses at DFARS 252.225; OMB Control

Number 0704-0229.

Type of Request: Extension.

Number of Respondents: 23,197

Responses Per Respondent: 9.01

Annual Responses: 209,117

Average Burden Per Response: Approximately .31 hours

Annual Burden Hours: 64,256 (64,161 reporting hours and 95

recordkeeping hours)

<u>Needs and Uses:</u> DoD needs this information to ensure compliance with restrictions on the acquisition of foreign products imposed by statute or policy to protect the industrial base; to ensure compliance with U.S. trade agreements and memoranda of understanding that promote reciprocal trade with U.S. allies; and to prepare reports for submission to the Department of Commerce on the Balance of Payments Program.

<u>Affected Public</u>: Businesses or other for-profit and not-for profit institutions.

Frequency: On Occasion.

OMB Desk Officer: Ms. Jasmeet Seehra.

Written comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be sent to Ms. Seehra at the Office of Management and Budget, Desk Officer for DoD, Room 10236, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503.

You may also submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by the following method:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

<u>Instructions:</u> All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number, and title for the **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other public submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at

http://www.regulations.gov as they are received without change,
including any personal identifiers or contact information
provided. To confirm receipt of your comment(s), please check
http://www.regulations.gov approximately two to three days after
submission to verify posting (except allow 30 days for posting
of comments submitted by mail).

DoD Clearance Officer: Ms. Patricia Toppings.

Written requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. Toppings at WHS/ESD/Information Management Division, 4800 Mark Center Drive, 2nd Floor, East Tower, Suite 02G09, Alexandria, VA 22350-3100.

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